

Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

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FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI
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FOLLOWING TELEGRAM SENT ACTION NEW DELHI 16 AUGUST AND IS
REPEATED TO YOU.

QUOTE:

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ENRG, EGEN, IN
SUBJECT: ASAMERA STILL HAS NO OIL

REF: MADRAS 1158

1. ASAMERA EXPLORATORY OIL DRILLING IN THE GULF OF MANNAR
HAS NOW REACHED 12,000 FEET WITHOUT FINDING ANY HYDRO-
CARBONS. THE ASAMERA REPRESENTATIVE IN MADRAS EXPECT DRIL-
LING TO CONTINUE UNTIL THE BASEMENT IS REACHED, PROBABLY AT
13,000 OR 14,000 FEET.
2. IF NO OIL IS FOUND, THE PARTNERS IN THE VENTURE WILL
MEET TO DETERMINE WHETHER TO CONTINUE EXPLORATION. ASAMERA
REP IS CONFIDENT THAT DECISION WILL BE TAKEN TO DRILL AT
LEAST ONE MORE WELL. SCOTT UNQUOTE GOHEEN

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Message Attributes

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